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AUTHENTICITY OF A MESSAGE USING SPECIFIC PRIME FACTORS

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 28, 2005 with respect to the above-identified application, Applicants provide the following remarks as follows:

**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.